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**In re Patent Application of:  
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For: DEVICE FOR THE PRODUCTION OF ANASTOMOSES BETWEEN HOLLOW ORGANS

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### AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated September 9, 2008, finally rejecting claims 1-22, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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